



INFRASTRUCTURE COMMITTEE MEETING

MINUTES

18 AUGUST 2026

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**REPORT OF THE INFRASTRUCTURE COMMITTEE MEETING
HELD AT COUNCIL CHAMBERS, 232 BOLSOVER STREET, ROCKHAMPTON
ON TUESDAY, 18 AUGUST 2026 COMMENCING AT 9:01AM**

1 OPENING

- 1.1 Acknowledgement of Country

2 PRESENT

Members Present:

The Mayor, Councillor A P Williams (Chairperson)
Deputy Mayor, Councillor M D Wickerson
Councillor S Latcham
Councillor E W Oram
Councillor C R Rutherford
Councillor M A Taylor
Councillor G D Mathers
Councillor E B Hilse

In Attendance:

Mr P Kofod – General Manager Regional Services (Executive Officer)
Mr E Pardon – Chief Executive Officer

3 APOLOGIES AND LEAVE OF ABSENCE

4 CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING

COMMITTEE RESOLUTION

THAT the minutes of the Infrastructure Committee of 21 July 2026 be confirmed.

Moved by: Councillor Wickerson

Seconded by: Councillor Hilse

MOTION CARRIED

5 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST IN MATTERS ON THE AGENDA

Nil

6 BUSINESS OUTSTANDING

6.1 BUSINESS OUTSTANDING TABLE FOR INFRASTRUCTURE COMMITTEE

File No: 10097

Authorising Officer: Peter Kofod - General Manager Regional Services

Author: Peter Kofod - General Manager Regional Services

SUMMARY

The Business Outstanding Table is used as a tool to monitor outstanding items resolved at previous Council or Committee meetings. The current Business Outstanding Table for Infrastructure Committee is presented for Councillors' information.

COMMITTEE RESOLUTION

THAT the Business Outstanding Table for the Infrastructure Committee be received.

Moved by: Councillor Latcham

Seconded by: Councillor Mathers

MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

7 PUBLIC FORUMS/DEPUTATIONS

Nil

8 PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS

Nil

9 COMMITTEE REPORTS

Nil

10 COUNCILLOR/DELEGATE REPORTS

10.1 PORTFOLIO UPDATE

File No: 10097

Authorising Officer: Peter Kofod - General Manager Regional Services

Author: Peter Kofod - General Manager Regional Services

SUMMARY

Portfolio Councillors for Waste and Recycling, Infrastructure and Water will provide an update on matters of interest within their portfolio.

9:05AM Chief Executive Officer attended the meeting

COMMITTEE RESOLUTION

THAT the Portfolio Updates for Waste and Recycling, Infrastructure and Water be received.

Moved by: Councillor Hilse

Seconded by: Councillor Rutherford

MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

11 OFFICERS' REPORTS

11.1 MONTHLY PROJECT STATUS REPORT FOR CIVIL OPERATIONS - JULY 2026

File No: 7028
Authorising Officer: Peter Kofod - General Manager Regional Services
Author: Cornelius Claassen - Civil Works Manager

SUMMARY

This report provides the status of significant projects managed by the Civil Operations Unit.

COMMITTEE RESOLUTION

THAT the Civil Operations Monthly Project Status Report for July 2026 be received.

Moved by: Councillor Taylor
Seconded by: Councillor Wickerson
MOTION CARRIED

11.2 PROJECT DELIVERY CAPITAL REPORT - INFRASTRUCTURE - JULY 2026

File No: 16255
Authorising Officer: Peter Kofod - General Manager Regional Services
Author: Andrew Collins - Manager Project Delivery

SUMMARY

Monthly Status Report on Infrastructure Capital projects currently managed by the Project Delivery Unit.

COMMITTEE RESOLUTION

THAT the Project Delivery Capital Report – Infrastructure – July 2026 be received.

Moved by: Mayor Williams
Seconded by: Councillor Oram

MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

11.3 FITZROY RIVER WATER SIGNIFICANT PROJECTS STATUS REPORT

File No: 7028
Authorising Officer: Peter Kofod - General Manager Regional Services
Author: Dan Toon - Manager Water and Wastewater

SUMMARY

This report provides the status for the Fitzroy River Water significant projects endorsed for the current financial year.

COMMITTEE RESOLUTION

THAT the Fitzroy River Water Significant Projects monthly status reports to the end of July 2026 be received and any feedback be noted for consideration.

Moved by: Councillor Oram
Seconded by: Councillor Rutherford

MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

11.4 UPDATED LOCAL CATCHMENT FLOOD STUDIES

File No: 1743
Authorising Officer: Martin Crow - Manager Infrastructure Planning
Peter Kofod - General Manager Regional Services
Author: Stuart Harvey - Coordinator Infrastructure Planning

SUMMARY

This report presents updated flood studies for several local catchments undertaken in 2025 and 2026 through QRA Funding packages. This report seeks Council's endorsement of these flood studies.

COMMITTEE RESOLUTION

THAT Council endorse:

1. The Wandal and West Rockhampton Baseline Flood Study Update (May 2025)
2. The Splitters Creek Baseline Flood Study Update (May 2025)
3. Gracemere Creeks Flood Study Update Report (February 2026)

Moved by: Mayor Williams
Seconded by: Councillor Wickerson
MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

11.5 QUEENSLAND WASTE STRATEGY REVIEW

File No: 121
Authorising Officer: Peter Kofod - General Manager Regional Services
Author: Michael O'Keeffe - Manager Waste & Resource Recovery Services

SUMMARY

The purpose of this report is to provide Council with an overview of the recently released 'Less Landfill, More Recycling: Queensland Waste Strategy'.

10:01AM The Chief Executive Officer left the meeting room
10:01AM The Chief Executive Officer returned to the meeting room

COMMITTEE RESOLUTION

THAT the Queensland Waste Strategy Review Report – 11 August 2026 be received.

Moved by: Councillor Latcham
Seconded by: Councillor Hilse

MOTION CARRIED

Mayor, Councillor Williams recorded his vote against motion.

12 NOTICES OF MOTION

Nil

13 QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

Nil

14 URGENT BUSINESS\QUESTIONS

Nil

15 CLOSURE OF MEETING

There being no further business the meeting closed at 10:06am.

SIGNATURE

CHAIRPERSON

DATE